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#### Program registration begins Monday, December 1, 2014.

All programs must meet a minimum number of participants to be held. Please register early for all programs. Drop-ins are only permitted if space allows.

#### We value your feedback!

Please help us improve our programs! If you are unhappy with the quality of a program, please inform staff at the Recreation Center immediately.

#### **Three Easy Ways to Register:**

Online - www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov, click the "Register for Rec Programs" button.



- Phone 281-210-3950
- In person The Woodlands Township Recreation Center, 5310 Research Forest Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77381.

The Woodlands Township accepts VISA, MASTERCARD, AMERICAN EXPRESS and DISCOVER.

#### Waiver:

By nature, many recreation programs involve body contact, considerable physical exertion, emotional stress and/or use of equipment that represents a certain risk to participants. It is recommended that you check with your physician prior to participating in any programs. Registrants in any program assume responsibility for all risks, implicit or direct, by participation in said activity or facility.

Participation in any parks and recreation activity constitutes a waiver of certain rights. See inside back cover for waiver and release wording, including the photo/media waiver. Please call The Woodlands Township Recreation Center at 281-210-3950 or visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov for more information.



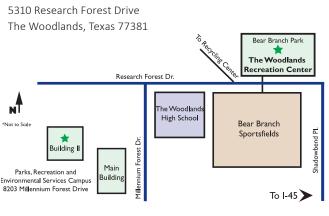


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#### The Woodlands Township Recreation Center 281-210-3950



#### **Recreation Center Regular Hours**

Monday-Thursday: 8 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Friday: 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.\*

Saturday: 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Closed on Sunday

\*The Woodlands Township Recreation Center closes for Gorilla Hole at 6:30 p.m. as scheduled on page 14 of this guide.

#### **Recreation Center 2015 Holiday Hours**

Holiday:	Closed:
New Year's Day	Thursday, January 1
Good Friday	Friday, April 3
Memorial	Monday, May 25

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## SPRINGTIME FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Pre-registration is required, registration on event day not permitted unless space and supplies allow. Please call 281-210-3950 to register. If an event is full, be sure to sign up for the waiting list, new programs may be added to meet demand.

#### **KAYAK EASTER EGG HUNT**

Each adult/child kayaking team will take a trip down the Waterway on a search for Easter eggs! Riva Row Boat House rules apply to this program. Ages: Any age child, must be accompanied by an adult to ride in the kayak. Fee: \$45 Resident pair, \$50 Non-resident pair

March 21 9 a.m. Saturday Riva Row Boat House

#### THE BUNNY BASH FEATURING THE FLASHLIGHT EGG HUNT

The whole family will have a great time with snacks, crafts, music and a flashlight egg hunt! Ages: All, ages five and younger hunt first, then ages six and up. Fee: \$20 Resident, \$25 Non-resident

March 27 The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park 7 p.m. Friday

#### **CHOOSE THE DAY, CHOOSE THE TIME!**

These events are available on both Saturday and Sunday.

Ages: All Fee: \$40 Resident family of four, \$45 Non-resident family of four \$7 per additional family member

#### Select Saturday OR Sunday! March 28 and 29, 2015

The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park 6055 Creekside Forest Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77389

#### 9 A.M. - BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY

Enjoy an EGGciting breakfast with an EGGcellent bunny! Includes a craft and egg hunt. Don't forget to bring a camera.

#### 1 P.M. - LUNCH WITH THE BUNNY

Bring out the family for some Easter fun, including an egg hunt and Easter craft, plus an "egg"cellent lunch! Don't forget to bring your camera!

#### **5 P.M. - DINNER WITH THE DUCKS**

This event is sure to be a quackin' good time! Join the bunny and his favorite duck friends for a delicious dinner, an egg hunt and a quack-tastic craft!



#### Saturday, February 7, 2015 5:30 - 9:30 p.m.

#### The Woodlands Waterway Marriott Waterway Ballroom

Rock around the clock with this year's Sock Hop theme!

Dads grab their blue suede shoes, daughters put on a poodle skirt, and

shake, rattle-n-roll! Awards for best dressed and most creative outfits. Every girl receives a special gift. Seating is assigned. Please advise of seating requests when making reservations.

#### Registration is now open.

Ticket sales close Monday, February 2, 2015, or until filled.

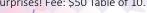
Ages: All

Fee: \$110 pair, \$50 per additional sibling until January 12, 2015 \$125 pair after January 12, \$55 per additional sibling

\$50 to reserve a table for 10

Daddy Daughter Dinner Dance Spotlight Seating

Make sure this night is extra special for you and your group! Reserve a table of 10 around the dance floor. Fee includes special activities and surprises! Fee: \$50 Table of 10.







Saturday, February 21, 2015

9 - 10 a.m. Noise-free sensory friendly hour

10 a.m. - noon Regular Touch-a-Truck

Rob Fleming Aquatic Center 6535 Creekside Forest Drive The Woodlands, TX 77389

Ages: All

Fee: Free!

Fun for the entire family! Get up close and personal with all kinds of big trucks. The "construction zone" has tons of opportunities for kids to get messy, plus a giant sandbox! No registration required. In the event of inclement weather, please call 281.210.3950. Rain date - March 7, 2015.



### **Concert in the Park Spring Series**

Now in it's 20th year, Concert in the Park is a popular family tradition of music and fun. Concerts are held at beautiful Northshore Park, 2505 Lake Woodlands Drive, The Woodlands, Texas 77381

#### 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

March 1	Josh Grider (Texas country)
March 8	Sideshow (Southern blues from Austin, Texas)
March 15	The Wonderfuls (Variety band)
March 22	Bart Crow (Country)
March 29	Black Dog (Led Zeppelin Tribute Band)
April 12	Subdivided (Rush Tribute Band)
April 19	Vocal Trash (Variety Band)
April 26	Dillon Havin and Company (13-year-old blues phenomenon, appeared on America's Got Talent)

#### Have a spectacular time at these events!

Held in conjunction with Concert in the Park. Onsite supplies and spaces are limited. Arrive early and visit The Township tent to sign up.

These free events are appropriate for all ages.

#### Sunday, March 8 - Spring Break Spectacular

Kick start your spring break with Sunday fun on a giant slide.

#### Sunday, March 15 - Green Game Day

Get your green on for leprechaun relays, a family craft and green galore!

**Sunday, March 29 - 4th Annual Family Sandcastle Building Contest** You bring your shovels, we'll bring the sand!

#### Sunday, April 12 - Bicycle Bash

Ride out to the concert for the Bicycle Bash! Special bike parking and party for those that "ride"!

Concert in the Park is produced by The Woodlands Township



# Arts in the park

THE WOODLANDS

Special Entertainment: teen talent show

Saturday, March 14, 2015 2 - 6 p.m. at Rob Fleming Park

Enjoy an afternoon with family and friends at Rob Fleming Park! Bring lawn chairs and coolers and enjoy the music of talented teens competing for first, second and third places in the Teen Talent Show. *People's Choice* winners will be announced. Local artisans are on-site with handmade works of art to purchase! The Kid Zone includes bounce houses and crafts where kids can explore their creative side. Ages: All Fee: Free!



Competition is for teens 12 - 18 years old. To audition, performers must submit a completed application at The Woodlands Township Recreation Center, 5310 Research Forest Drive, by 5 p.m. on February 13, 2015. Applications may be found online at www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/artsinthepark.

Performers may audition one of three ways:

- Drop off a recording at Recreation Center
- Email a link to recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov
- Attend live auditions from 6 to 9 p.m. on Monday, February 16, 2015 at The Recreation Center.

For more information, please call 281-210-3950.



Kid's Night Out has tons of games, arts and crafts and extra special activities each month! Children should wear comfy clothes so they can play and get wild! Dinner included.

Ages: 4 - 10 Fee: \$30 Resident, \$35 Non-resident, \$10 sibling discount

#### Friday, 6 - 10 p.m. at The Woodlands Township Recreation Center

January 9	Glow and Snow Party!
February 13	Special Valentine's night hours: 6 - 11 p.m.
March 13	Hip, Hip Hooray for St. Patty's Day!
April 10	Funny Bunny Bonanza
May 8	Cinco De Mayo Fiesta

## BUNNY DAYZ DROP-IN CAMPS

Enjoy crafts and games, egg hunts at Spring Break, dodgeball, four square, relay races, giant jenga, science experiments and MOREI



**Ages:** 5 - 12 yrs.

**Location:** The Woodlands Township Recreation Center

**Hours:** 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Please note: Drop-In Camps follow Conroe Independent School District holiday calendar. Determinations are made five days prior to each date whether enough participants are enrolled to hold the camps.

For more information please visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/ parksandrecreation, click Programs and Events then click Sunny Dayz Camps or email sunnydayzcamp@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov.

Camp enrollment: All campers must pre-register and complete a Camper Information Form before camp starts.

**Camper drop-off and pick-up:** Campers must be escorted into the facility and signed in at arrival, and signed out at departure each day. All parents and guardians picking up campers must show a valid ID and be listed on the "Approved Pick Up List" for their camper.

Come one day or all days; just make sure to register early!

Fee: \$50 per day, \$15 per day sibling discount

Friday, January 2 Monday, January 5 Monday, February 16

#### SPRING BREAK DROP-IN CAMPS

Sign up for all five days of Spring Break in advance and receive a \$50 discount! Fee: \$50 per day, \$15 per day sibling discount.

March 16 - March 20

What to wear: Campers should wear lightweight, comfortable clothes and tennis shoes (clogs and sandal type shoes are not recommended).

Medical/allergies: Please provide any medical information beneficial to a camper's experience at camp. Information may include behavioral information, such as difficulty taking directions or working in a group. Campers will be asked to wear Allergy Bracelets indicating their food and/or outdoor allergies.

#### **SCIENCE MYSTERIES CAMP**

Solve a new science-filled whodunit case each day! Learn all about nature, robotics, chemistry and electronics while solving science mysteries. Campers document daily mysteries to create a movie they can take home at the end of the week. Learn more about Science Mysteries at

www.playsmartertechnologies.com. Children must bring their lunch.

Fee: \$265 Resident, \$275 Non-resident Ages: 6 - 12

March 16 - 20 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m Monday - Friday Rec Center

#### **ENGINEERING FOR KIDS – BUILD YOUR OWN CITY!**

Morning session crews design urban structures and solve real-world challenges with engineering and imagination. Afternoon explores robotics and computer programming with Da Vinci EV3 Robots. Design and program LEGO® robots to solve challenges. Use LEGO® Mindstorms® Education EV3 software to program and control a robot with Bluetooth® and Wi-Fi. Fee includes cost of supplies, S.T.E.M. Saturday students receive 10% discount on full day fee. Ages: 9 - 13 Half day: \$250 Resident, \$260 Non-resident,

Full day: \$385 Resident, \$395 Non-resident

9 a.m. - noon March 16 - 20 Monday - Friday Rec Center 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

#### **SPANISH CAMP**

This unique camp not only teaches the Spanish language, it also explores culture, music, dance and traditions. Students experience an immersive language learning journey! Taught by native-speaking teachers from around the world.

Ages: 7 - 12 Fee: \$290 Resident weekly, \$300 Non-resident weekly

March 16 - 20 9 a.m. - 1 p.m Monday - Friday Rec Center

#### **ENGINEERING FOR KIDS - WRECK-IT-WEEK!**

Morning session wrecking company workers climb the ranks from intern to president. Companies compete in exciting engineering-related challenges. Afternoon students use LEGO® WeDo™ software to explore robot design and basic machine programming principles. Create robots capable of performing simple, interesting tasks. Fee includes cost of supplies, S.T.E.M. Saturday students receive 10% discount off full day fee.

Ages: 4 - 8 Half day: \$250 Resident, \$260 Non-resident

Full day: \$385 Resident, \$395 Non-resident

9 a.m. - noon March 16 - 20 Monday - Friday Rec Center 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.



#### 500-meter swim • 15-mile bike • 5K run

The CB&I TRI - The Woodlands triathlon, a USAT sanctioned and certified event, is scheduled for Saturday, May 2, 2015, 7 a.m., at Northshore Park. The triathlon consists of a 500-meter swim, 15-mile bike and 5K run. Registration will be capped. For more information call 281-210-3800 or e-mail races@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov. Register online at www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/races.

Early Registration	January 1 - 5	\$100 Individual, \$165 Relay Team
Registration	Jan. 6 - Jan. 23	\$110 Individual, \$175 Relay Team
Late Registration	Jan. 24 - until filled	\$120 Individual, \$185 Relay Team

#### 8TH ANNUAL MUDDY TRAILS BASH

Event includes 5K run, 10K run, one-mile kids' fun run, 2K9 fun run (runner and their dog) plus a crawfish competition and festival in the park. All courses wind through the beautiful George Mitchell



Nature Preserve, located on 1,800 wooded acres adjacent to Rob Fleming Park in Creekside Park. All racers will receive a finisher's medal and free food at the post race party!

Ages: 5 and up Fee: See below.

### **4 p.m. - Saturday, April 4, 2015, at The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park** 6055 Creekside Forest Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77389

5K Run - Registration capped at 900 runners	USA Track and Field Sanctioned timed run	Jan 1 - Feb 15, \$40 Feb 16 - April 3, \$45 Race Day, \$50
10K Run - Registration capped at 500 runners	USA Track and Field Sanctioned timed run	Jan 1 - Feb 15, \$45 Feb 16 - April 3, \$50 Race Day, \$55
Kids' Fun Run - Regis- tration capped at 300 runners	One mile untimed fun run	Jan 1 - Feb 15, \$30 Feb 16 - April 3, \$35 Race Day, \$40
2K9 Fun Run - Registration capped at 75 runners	1.1 mile untimed fun run with dog	Jan 1 - Feb 15, \$30 Feb 16 - April 3, \$35 Race Day \$40
Post race party with a live b	Free entrance; food for purchase	

#### MUDDY BOWL AT MUDDY TRAILS BASH

Who has the best boiled crawfish in town? Teams of up to eight members are provided crawfish, ice, serving containers, 10' x 10' tent, table and chairs. Teams bring their cooking materials, spices and fire extinguisher. The boil is before the Muddy Trails race with awards for Best Crawfish, People's Choice, Best Decorated Tent and Best Cajun Dish. Ages: All. Fee: \$200 five person team, \$5 additional member



#### Saturday, April 4, 2015

Cooking begins at noon
The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park

#### **OPEN WATER SWIM DAY**

Practice open water swimming for a triathlon! No instruction provided. Walk-up registration welcome. Last swimmer for the long course must enter water before 8:30 a.m. Last swimmer for the short course must enter the water before noon. Swimmers must exit water between 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. Ages: 13 and up. No registration for the long course after 8:15 a.m. Fee: Short course \$15, long course \$25, both courses \$30; day of registration: Short course \$20, long course \$30, both courses \$35.

Saturday, April 25	Long Course: 7:30 - 9:30 a.m. Short Course: 10:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	Northshore Park
	Both Courses: 7:30 a.m 12:30 p.m.	raik

#### **OPEN WATER SWIM CLINIC WITH TJ** Great for first-time triathletes!

Athletes new to open-water swimming learn about challenges of swimming in the CB&I TRI. Includes training materials and swimming tips. Must register in advance! Instructor: TJ Fry. Ages: 14 and up. Fee: \$25 Resident, \$30 Non-resident. Includes one open water short course.

Saturday, April 25 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Northshore Park

To register for *Open Water Swim Day* and/or *Open Water Swim Clinic* with TJ, please visit **www.active.com** and search for "The Woodlands Township Open Water Swim 2015".

#### FIRST TIMER SPRINT TRIATHLON INTERNET TRAINING

For self starters who want to start racing triathlons! Review and practice triathlon techniques in monthly meetings. Online communication for assistance, explanations and encouragement. Coach Sandra Sutherland, USAT, RRCA and TXTRI, provides instruction for sports nutrition and prep for the first race. Must register in advance!

Ages: 14 and up Fee: \$100 Resident, \$110 Non-resident.

#### TRIATHLON FIRST TIMER'S CLINIC

#### Overall Review and Open Water Swim Practice

Educates triathletes in fundamentals of completing sprint-distance triathlons. Learn swim, bike, run, transition techniques and maps, and get a checklist for race day. Coach Sandra breaks down the swim and discusses sighting, pacing and bi-lateral breathing. Participants take away a weekly workout plan! Must register in advance! Coach: Sandra Sutherland, USAT, RRCA, TXTRI. Includes one open water short course.

Ages: 14 and up Fee: \$35 Resident, \$40 Non-resident

Saturday, April 25 10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Northshore Park

#### **OPEN WATER, LONG-COURSE SWIM CLINIC - OutRival Racing**

One-day clinic covers what to expect on race day and how to tackle the 2.4 mile swim. Provides specifics for race morning protocol, the mass start, navigation techniques, what to expect while swimming the course and the Waterway, pros and cons of speed suits and wetsuits, and how to mentally tackle the swim. Taught by Coach Michelle LeBlanc of OutRival Racing, the official coaching service of Memorial Hermann IRONMAN Texas. Fee includes handouts and extra instruction. Pre-registration is required.

Check-in at 6:45 a.m., clinic starts at 7 a.m., swim begins at 7:30 a.m. Fee: \$35 Resident, \$40 Non-resident.

Saturday, April 25 6:45 a.m. Northshore Park



8th Annual

**Family Camping Experience** 

Get away without leaving The Woodlands! Camp out and enjoy crafts, games and outdoor activities. Dinner, breakfast, snack and all activities are included, just bring your tent and sleeping bags! *Registration required*.

Ages: All Fee for up to four people: \$125 Resident, \$135 Non-resident \$30 per additional person

Need a tent and sleeping bags? Buy four sleeping bags and a tent for \$100, \$60 tent only, \$25 per additional bag.

Noon on Saturday, April 11 until 9 a.m. on Sunday, April 12, 2015 Terramont Park, 8500 Terramont Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77382 8th Annual





Bring your fishing poles and we'll provide the bait! T-shirts are given on first-come, first-served basis. Prizes will be awarded for longest, heaviest and smallest fish caught. The 8th Annual Creekwood Fishing Derby is sponsored by The Woodlands Professional Firefighters Association. *No registration required.* Ages: All Fee: Free!

#### 8 - 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 28, 2015

Creekwood Park, 3383 S. Panther Creek Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381

#### **HOOK, LINE AND SINKER**

Kick back on the pond and let our Park Rangers teach you the basics of fishing. This one-day clinic will teach your child how to tie up a line, bait a hook and catch a fish. Parents are welcome to join in the fun. Fishing poles are required. *Must register in advance*. Ages: 5 - 14 Fee: Free!

#### 8 - 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 21, 2015

Creekwood Park, 3383 S. Panther Creek Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381

# OUTDOOR PROGRAMS

#### THREE-HOUR FLY CASTING CLINICS

Learn basic casting fundamentals and provide a groundwork for understanding fly rods and reels, basic fly types and other components of fly fishing. Provides a basic foundation for fly casting. Wear comfortable clothing, bring sunglasses, sunscreen and be ready for fun. All equipment provided. Classes limited to eight participants.

Ages: 14 and up Fee: \$40 Resident, \$45 Non-resident

February 15			
March 15	1 - 4 p.m.	Sunday	Pond at Rob Fleming Park
April 19			NOD HEITING FAIR

#### 16TH ANNUAL WORLD TAI CHI AND QIGONG DAY

Be a part of a global happening in more than 75 nations as hundreds of cities worldwide gather for World Tai Chi Qigong Day. Tens of thousands of people will come together for the sole purpose of advancing personal and global health and healing. Activities include an open practice including several schools, free classes, sand painting, and tai chi demonstrations. For more information, please visit **www.taichidaythewoodlands.org** 

Ages: All Fee: Free! .

Saturday, April 25 9 a.m. to noon Alden Bridge Park

#### **FAMILY NIGHT HIKE AND HUNT**

Get the whole family together for a brand new night hike and scavenger hunt series!

Ages: All Fee: \$20 family of four, \$25 Non-resident family \$5 per additional family member.

April 24	7 p.m.		
May 22		Friday	Meet at The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park



#### **WILDERNESS SURVIVAL**

This learn-by-doing class teaches the survival mind set, conventional and alternative fire methods, signaling, water collection, basic snare construction, protection from the elements, and related survival skills. Wear comfortable clothing, sunglasses, sunscreen, and get ready for some outdoor fun! All equipment will be provided. No experience required. Ages: 14 and up; 11 and older if participating with a parent.

Fee: \$55 Resident, \$65 Non-resident.

January 11 1 - 5 p.m. Sunday Jones State Forest

#### **WILDERNESS FIRST AID**

This 16-hour course is perfect for those involved in activities that take them beyond the boundaries of traditional urban emergency medical services, like hikers and backpackers. This course meets the requirements for training in back country emergency response and is approved by the American Camping Association and Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America. Two-year certification issued upon successful completion. *No experience required*. Ages: 14 and up Fee: \$140 Resident, \$150 Non-resident

February 28 and March 1 Saturday and Saturday and Sounday Rob Fleming Park

#### **NEW! LITTLE MOVERS DANCE CLASS**

For first-time dance experience; learn to move in a nurturing environment

Ages: 3-5 Fees: \$65 Resident monthly, \$75 Non-resident monthly.

January - May 3:45 - 4:30 p.m. Wednesdays Rec Center



Play Smarter programs combine science, art, robotics and electronics into a dynamic learning experiences. www.playsmartertechnologies.com

#### PARENT AND ME PRESCHOOL PLAY DATES

The perfect way to learn preschool fundamentals through hands on science, art, imagination and engaging activities. Classes include exclusive access to Play Smarter Online Learning Lab where students become part of a learning adventure! Learn more at

#### www.playsmartertechnologies.com.

Ages: 3 - 6 Fee: \$175 Resident, \$185 Non-resident

Jan 20 - March 3	10 - 11 a m	Tuesday	Rec Center
March 24 - May 5	_ 10 - 11 a.m.	Tuesday	Rec Center

#### **ENGINEERING FOR KIDS – CURIOUS ENGINEERS**

Children are naturally curious about the world around them. Building on that curiosity, course teaches engineering concepts with hands-on learning. Children create a variety of projects exposing them to the world of engineering. Visit **www.engineeringforkids.com/greaterhouston** for more information. Parent attendance is optional. Pay for entire session for a \$10 discount. *No classes January 17, February 14, March 21 and April 4, 2015*.

Ages: 3.5 - 6 Fee: \$64 Resident monthly, \$74 Non-resident plus \$40 supply fee, \$30 per class drop-in \$10 discount if paid for entire session.

January 10 - May 16 8:50 - 9:30 a.m. Saturday Rec Center

#### **ARTSMART**

Early learning art experiences for children in Pre-K and Kindergarten. Focuses on exploring the visual arts with simple and fun lessons that nurture very young children's creativity. Students develop an appreciation for art while exploring the elements of art, such as color, texture, and shape. Encourages development of fine motor skills, perceptual thinking, and creative problem solving. *No class on March 17, 2015*.

Ages: 4 - 5 Fee: \$184 Resident, \$194 Non-resident

February 3 - April 14 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. Tuesday Rec Center

#### PERFORMING ARTS DANCE WITH CAROLINE BATSON

Classes teach the joy of learning dance and performing on stage. Caroline Batson is a degreed dance professional with 30 years of experience.

#### **BABY BALLET**

Introduction to the wonderful world of dance including proper dance technique, terminology and dance etiquette. Listening skills, sharing and waiting turns help our little ballerinas in and outside of the dance class. Required attire: black leotard, pink tights, pink leather ballet shoes; tutus welcome! Join any time! *No class the week of March 8, 2015.* 

Ages:  $2 - 3^{1/2}$  Fee: \$60 Resident monthly

\$70 Non-resident monthly

January 8 - May 14 10:30 - 11 a.m. Thursday Rec Center

#### **BALLET & TAP**

Ballet and tap taught in a creative and fun way! Proper ballet/tap technique, terminology and etiquette taught focusing on listening, following directions and waiting turns. Required attire: black leotard, pink tights, pink leather ballet shoes and black tap shoes. Favorite tutus are always welcome. Join any time! *No class the week of March 8, 2015*.

Ages: 3 <sup>1</sup>/2 - 5 Fee: \$75 Resident monthly \$85 Non-resident monthly

January 8 - May 14 11 - 11:45 a.m. Thursday Rec Center



#### Preschoolers are having a ball

in Tiny Tennis! Professional tennis coaches teach the FUNdamentals of tennis with games and drills on courts right-sized for tiny tennis players!

**GET THE DETAILS ON PAGE 12!** 



#### **BIRTHDAY PARTIES**

#### SPANISH PRESCHOOL

Children are surrounded by the Spanish language and learn by immersion, the natural way to learn a language. They will enjoy Circle Time, Music and Movement and Story Time all in Spanish! This program provides excellent academic and social education with invaluable comprehension skills and use of the Spanish language.

Ages: 3 - 5 Fee: \$100 Resident, \$110 Non-resident, plus \$25 for book

January 7 - 28			
February 4 - 25	10 13	M/a dia a a day	Dog Conton
March 4 - 25	10 -12 p.m.	Wednesday	Rec Center
April 1 - 22			

#### COOK, LEARN, GROW - SPRING COOKERY

Afterschool cooking program for children that love to cook! This fun program uses age appropriate lessons in cooking techniques, food origins, seasonal recipes, and kitchen safety. Students gain self-confidence while reinforcing math, reading, science, and social skills. Syllabus is emailed after registration. Space is limited. www.cooklearngrow.com

Ages: Grades K - 5 Fee: \$185 Resident, \$195 Non-resident

Feb 18 - March 11	K - 2nd	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Wednesday	Dan Conton
Len 19 - Maicii 11	3rd - 5th	5:30 - 6:30 p.m.	wednesday	Rec Center

#### **FURY MINI-SLUGGERS**

Learn the fundamentals of T-ball including catching, throwing and running the bases. Participants must bring their own mitt.



February 10 - March 3	4 5 10 100	Tuesday	Alden Bridge
April 7 - 28	4 - 5 p.m.	Tuesday	Sports Park

#### **SOCCER 4 TOTS**

Children get a "kick" out of this program! Participants learn how to pass, dribble, trap and shoot the ball. Shin guards are mandatory.

Parent participation is required. No class on April 4 and May 16, 2015.

Ages: 2 - 5 Fee: \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

#### Ages 2 - 3 1/2

January 3 - 24			
January 31 - February 21	8:15 - 8:55 a.m.		
February 28 - March 21	or	Saturday	Rec Center
March 28 - April 25	9 - 9:40 a.m.		
May 2 - 30			

#### Ages 3 1/2 - 5

January 3 - 24			
January 31 - February 21			
February 28 - March 21	9:50 - 10:30 a.m.	Saturday	Rec Center
March 28 - April 25			
May 2 - 30			

#### **SPORTS OF ALL SORTS**

Little athletes will love getting a taste of basketball, soccer, playing catch and working as a team. *Parent participation may be requested. No class on April 4 and May 16, 2015.* 

Ages: 3 - 5 Fee: \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

January 3 - 24			
January 31 - February 21			
February 28 - March 21	10:40 - 11:20 a.m.	Saturday	Rec Center
March 28 - April 25			
May 2 - 30			



Celebrate birthdays, graduations or team events at a park, a playground, or even a pool! The Woodlands Township parks, pools and Recreation Center offer prime locations for party fun!

Live Oak Room: \$20 per hour Resident, \$30 Non-resident.

Magnolia, Mulberry and Sycamore Rooms: \$10 per hour Resident, \$20 Non-resident.

**Gymnasium:** During open hours \$35 per hour Resident, \$70 Non-resident; during closed hours \$100 per hour Resident, \$150 Non-resident

Entire Facility: \$150 per hour Resident, \$200 per hour Non-resident

Rent a Pavilion: Pavilions are rented in four hour blocks

Neighborhood and

area parks without restrooms - \$25 Resident, \$50 Non-resident

**Village and area parks with restrooms** - \$35 Resident, \$70 Non-resident **Northshore or Bear Branch Pavilion** - \$50 Resident, \$100 Non-resident

#### Book a LEGO® Birthday Party!

Building Brains brings Lego® kits and a teacher for one and a half hours of a three-hour party. Partiers build a machine and compete for fun titles. Fee includes three-hour room rental, tables and chairs. \$300 for 12 persons, \$25 per additional person.









#### **ENGINEERING FOR KIDS - S.T.E.M.**

Apprentice Engineers use the engineering design process to create a hands-on solution to a real world challenge. Enhances reflective and critical thinking skills with civil and environmental engineering related projects. Monthly fee, pay for entire session for a \$10 discount. *No classes January* 17, February 14, March 21 and April 4, 2015. For more information, please visit www.engineeringforkids.com/greaterhouston.

Ages: 5 - 8 Fee: \$64 Resident monthly, \$74 Non-resident monthly; plus \$40 supply fee, drop-in fee: \$30 per class.

Jan 10 - May 16 9:35 a.m. - 10:30a.m. Saturday Rec Center

#### **ENGINEERING FOR KIDS - S.T.E.M SATURDAYS**

Don't just play video games, make them! Students work together to create a real video game they can take home. Students program characters and a two-dimensional obstacle course in a side-scrolling, Mario-type game. Avoid or overcome enemies and reach an end goal on multiple levels! Monthly fee, pay for entire session for a \$10 discount. For more information, visit www.engineeringforkids.com/greaterhouston.

No classes January 17, February 14, March 21 and April 4, 2015.

Ages: 8 - 13 Monthly fee: \$64 Resident, \$74 Non-resident

plus \$40 supply fee

Jan 10 - May 16 10:35 - 11:35 a.m. Saturday Rec Center

#### PLAY SMARTER AFTER SCHOOL SCIENCE CLUB

Join a club with cool science! Learn all about robotics, chemistry and electronics, while solving science mysteries.

Learn more about Science Club at www.playsmartertechnologies.com.

Ages: 6-12 Fee: \$165 Resident, \$175 Non-resident

January 20 - March 3	4.30 F.30 m m	Tuesday	Dee Center
March 24 - May 5	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	Tuesday	Rec Center

#### SPANISH AFTERSCHOOL YOUTH

Learning a foreign language while in school benefits students in so many ways! Improve communication, math skills, and the ability to communicate with others in their native languages.

Ages: 7-12 Fee: \$150, plus \$25 book fee:

January 13 - March 10	Tuesday	4 F.20 n m	Rec Center
March 23 - May 25	Monday	4 - 5:30 p.m.	Rec Center

#### **ART AFTERSCHOOL**

City ArtWorks offers engaging, hands-on, fun after school classes focusing on specific artists and art periods each semester. Classes are open to all skill levels. Fee includes all supply costs. No class on March 17, 2015.

Ages: Grades 1 - 5 Fee: \$184 Resident, \$194 Non-resident,

February 3 - April 14	4 - 5 p.m.	Tuesday	Rec Center
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## 7 - 9:45 P.M. At The Woodlands Township Recreation Center

Gorilla Hole is a highly staffed and a well-organized environment for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders to monkey around and have a blast. Kids will make new friends and memories in no time while playing dodgeball, basketball and dancing the night away!

Ages: Grades 5 and 6 Fee: \$7 per person.

For more information about Gorilla Hole, please call 281-210-3950 or email recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov

January 2 - New Year's Party - Belated New Year's bash.

January 16 - Experience "The Glow Down" - Glow party combined with glow sports.

February 6 - Fancy Friday - Dress up or dress down, wear a

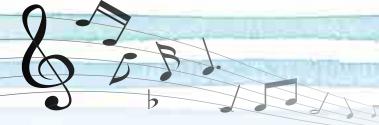
February 20 - Talent Show Extravaganza - Perform unique talents for the group.

March 20 - St. Patty's Day Party - Wear green clothes.

April 17 - Pajama Fiesta - Eat breakfast for dinner!

May 1 - Spa and Sports - Spa night for girls and gladiator themed sports night for boys.

May 15 - End of school bash - It's party time!



#### **MUSIC LESSONS- VOICE- SINGING**

Whether just singing solos in the shower or performing for crowds, children reap many benefits from a music education. Students will learn the do-re-mi's of voice-singing.

Ages: 5 - 12 Fee: \$150

January 8 - March 12	4 Enm	Thursday	Rec Center
March 26 - May 28	4 - 5 p.m.	Thursday	Rec Center

#### MUSIC LESSONS- FLUTE (recorder)

Ages: 5 - 12 Fee: \$150, plus \$25 for book

January 8 - March 12	6 7 n m	Thursday	Rec Center
March 26 - May 28	6 - 7 p.m.	Thursday	Rec Center

#### **MUSIC LESSONS- VIOLIN**

Ages: 5 - 12 Fee: \$200, plus \$25 for book

January 8 - March 12	5 - 6 p.m.	Thursday	Rec Center
March 26 - May 28	3 - 0 p.m.	Titursuay	Nec center

#### **GUITAR 101 BY LESSONS ON THE GO**

Join this fun, interactive course that fosters a love of music and makes playing the guitar a fun experience. Focus is on music theory, technique, rhythm, stage performance and reading charts. Students learn new skills through contemporary songs, making learning an exciting, confidence-building experience. Students must bring a guitar and music stand.

Ages: 7-13 Fee: \$80 Resident, \$90 Non-resident plus one-time \$15 supply fee

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#### **BICYCLING SKILLS 123**

Bicycling Skills 123 Youth is composed of 13 on-bike stations that teach children better bike handling skills

Ages: 14 and up Fees: \$10 per person

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May 9	2 - 5 p.m.	Saturday	Rob Fleming Aquatic Center

#### PRIVATE BASKETBALL LESSONS WITH COACH CROWE

Improve basketball fundamentals and learn proper shooting and dribbling techniques. Coach Crowe is a former high school (boys and girls) basketball coach and former collegiate basketball player. Call 281-210-3950 for details and scheduling information.

Ages: 9 - 17 Fee: \$65 per hour; \$55 per hour with five lessons

\$50 per hour with 10 or more lessons

#### KARATE/TAE KWON DO BY TLE KARATE

Self-defense and fitness program includes blocking, kicking and punching techniques along with kicking combinations with form drills; teaches self-defense, self-discipline and self-confidence. Instructor Travis Lee Everitt is a 7th Degree Black Belt, All American Grand Champion and U.S. National Kata Champion. Enroll any time, no enrollment fees, all fees included.

Ages: 5 and up Fee: \$76 Resident monthly, \$86 Non-resident monthly, \$22 drop-in

All belts (any age) beginner, intermediate and advanced 5:15 - 6 p.m. Thursday Rec Center	All belts (any age) beginner,	5:15 - 6 p.m.	Thursday	Rec Center
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#### **NEW! SUPER STARS DANCE CLASS**

Meet new friends and share the love of dance! Students learn the basics of dance and do a bit more than jumping, turning, and leaping! Both boys and girls are welcome. Students learn ballet, jazz, and tap.

Ages: 6 - 9 Monthly fee: \$75 Resident, \$85 Non-resident

January - May 4:30 - 5:30 p.m. Wednesday Rec Center

#### **NEW! BUDDING BALLERINAS**

A ballet class designed to teach beginner and intermediates, this class fosters a lifelong love of movement through dance art. Pointe work is a possibility, class includes ballet, jazz, tap and modern dance. Advanced boys and girls are welcome.

Ages: 10 - 16 Monthly fee: \$85 Resident, \$95 Non-resident

January - May 5:30 - 6:45 p.m. Wednesday Rec Center

#### **BAYOU CITY FENCING ACADEMY**

Fencing is an Olympic sport enjoyed by people of all ages and skill levels worldwide. Join instructors Delfina Perka, a member of the 1980 Polish Olympic Team, and Albert Peters, former head coach of fencing at Cornell University, to learn footwork, technical instruction and bouting. All equipment is provided for the first month.

Ages: 7 and up

Monthly fee: Beginners \$100 1x/wk, \$125 2x/wk

Musketeers \$100 1x/wk, \$125 2x/wk, \$140 3x/wk

Intermed. & Advanced \$125 1x/wk, \$150 2x/wk, \$165 3x/wk
\$10 Additional fee for Non-residents

Musketeers (ages 7 - 11)	Tuesday	5 - 6p.m.	
	Thursday	5 - 6 p.m.	
	Saturday	1 - 2:15 p.m.	
Intermediate /	Tuesday	6:30 - 8 p.m.	Dan Cantan
Advanced	Thursday	6:30 - 8 p.m.	Rec Center
(ages 7 - 11)	Saturday	11:30 a.m 1 p.m.	
Recreational	Tuesday	8 - 9 p.m.	
(teens - adults)	Thursday	8 - 9 p.m.	



#### **AQUATIC PROGRAMS**

#### **FURY SLUGGERS WITH COACH CLINT JOHNSON**

Stay competitive with instruction from a professional coach. Learn the fundamentals of baseball, focusing on hitting and pitching. Bring your mitt and bat.



Tuesdays, Feb. 10 - March 3	5 - 6 p.m.	Alden Bridge Sportsfields
Tuesdays, April 7 - 28	5 - 6 p.m.	Alden Bridge Sportsfields



For more information about i9 Sports, please visit www.i9sports.com or call 281-744-4322.

#### **BASKETBALL LEAGUE**

Basketball league for beginner and intermediate players. Learn basic basketball skills and drills, including passing, shooting, dribbling and offensive and defensive sets. Schedules of dates and times for practices and games will be distributed prior to the season; younger teams will play first. Fee includes includes jersey, equipment, two medals and end-of-season party.

Ages: 4 - 12 Fee: \$139 Person,

January 17 - March 8	Schedule TBD	Sat. and Sun	Rec Center
April 18 - June 7	Schedule TBD	Sat. and Sun.	Rec Center

#### SPORTS AFTER SCHOOL CLASSES

Beginner and intermediate levels. To register visit

www.i9sports.com or call 281-744-4322.

Ages: 4 - 13 Fee: \$65 Resident monthly, \$75 Non-resident monthly

#### Soccer or Tee Ball

Fast paced drills, skill-building exercises, offensive and defensive positioning and scrimmages. No class during Spring Break.

Soccer only			
January 6 - 27	4:15 - 5:45 p.m.		
February 3 - 24			
T-Ball or Soccer		Tuesday	Cattail Park
March 3 - 31	4.30 6 5 55		
April 7- 28	4:30 - 6 p.m.		
May 5 - 26			

#### Flag Football

Passing and catching, de-flagging, offensive and defensive positioning and scrimmages. No class during Spring Break.

January 5 - 26	4.15 5.45 0 00		
February 2 - 23	4:15 - 5:45 p.m.		
March 2 - 30		Monday	Cattail Park
April 6 - 27	4:30 - 6 p.m.		
May 4 - June 1			

#### Basketball

Passing, shooting, dribbling, shooting and scrimmaging. *No class* during Spring Break.

January 8 - 29			
February 5 - 26			
March 5 - April 2	4:30 - 6 p.m.	Thursday	Rec Center
April 9 - 30			
May 7 - 28			



#### **SCUBA DIVING**

All equipment provided during class instruction. You will receive all materials and cards upon successful completion of course certifying you as an open water diver.

Ages: 10 and up Fee: Ages 10 - 11 - \$395

Ages 12 and up - \$295 Resident, \$305 Non-resident

#### May 8, 9, 10 and May 15, 16, 17

June 12,13, 14 and June 19, 20, 21		
Friday: 6:30 - 9 p.m.	8203 Millennium Forest Drive	
Saturday: 9 a.m 5 p.m. Sunday: 1 - 5 p.m.	Pool and Blue Lagoon in Huntsville	

#### **AQUA BODY WEIGHT PROGRAM**

Take the weight room to the water! Low- and high-impact water aerobics class that builds strength, improves cardiovascular fitness and flexibility at your own pace. No special equipment required.

Ages: 18 and up Fee: \$40 Resident, \$45 Non-resident

All sessions: \$160 Resident, \$170 Non-resident

January 5 - 30			
February 2 - 27		Monday	
March 2 - 30	9 - 10 a.m.	Wednesday	CISD Natatorium 19133 David Memorial Dr.
April 1 - 29		Friday	19133 David Memorial Dr.
May 1 - 29			

#### AQUA BODY DEEP WATER PROGRAM

This low-impact water aerobics class welcomes all fitness levels.

Participants move from one end of the pool to the other working the whole body. Receive a mile T-shirt every quarter.

Ages: 18 and up Fee: Sessions I, II and III: \$40 Resident, \$45 Non-resident All sessions: \$160 Resident, \$170 Non-resident

January 6 - 29			
February 3 - 26			
March 3 - 31	8:45 - 10:15 a.m.	CISD Natatorium	Tues / Thurs
April 2 - 30			
May 5 - 28			
All sessions, Januar	y - May		

#### **AQUA DEEP WATER + BODY WEIGHT**

Sign up for all sessions of both programs for January through May!

Fee: \$240 Resident, \$250 Non-resident



#### THE WOODLANDS SWIM TEAMS

New to Swim Team or a veteran swimmer? Be sure to review the 2015 Aquatic Program Handbook for a successful swim season! Please visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov to read the handbook online.

#### Swim Team Registration Fee:

One swimmer: \$195 Resident, \$205 Non-resident

Two swimmers, per swimmer: \$180 Resident, \$190 Non-resident

Three or more swimmers, per swimmer: \$165 Resident, \$175 Non-resident

Registration fee increases \$10 per swimmer on April 15, 2015.

Registration for returning Waves, Riptides and Hurricanes swimmers opens February 2, 2015. Registration for returning Jr. Swim Team, TAAF and Cyclones swimmers opens February 9, 2015. Registration opens to public on February 16, 2015.

#### **Important Swim Team Dates:**

April 27 to June 26, 2015: Swim team season, start dates vary per team

Saturday, April 11, 2015: Kick-off party, 1-3 p.m.

The Lodge at Rob Fleming Park Rain date, April 12, 2015

Saturday, April 25, 2015: Mandatory Time Trials, 6:30 a.m. check-in

Meet begins at 8:30 a.m.

Monday, June 22, 2015: End of season party, 6 - 9 p.m.

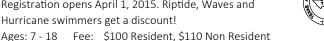
Rob Fleming Aquatic Center

#### **Mentoring Program**

Learn more about swim team, assist the Swim Coaches or be a great mentor to younger swimmers. Ages: 15 - 18

#### THE WOODLANDS TAAF SUMMER SWIM TEAM

Sign-up for The Woodlands TAAF Summer Swim Team! Registration opens April 1, 2015. Riptide, Waves and Hurricane swimmers get a discount!



\$70 for Riptides, Waves or Hurricanes swimmers

June 29 - July 29 Regional Meet July 18, 2015

#### JUNIOR SWIM TEAM

Not a learn-to-swim program or competitive team, this program keeps the focus on



endurance and skills. All swimmers must be able to swim the length of the pool and have rudimentary stroke skills. Registration opens April 1, 2015. Swimmers must be evaluated, evaluations start in April, 2015. To sign up for an evaluation, please call 281-210-3950.

Ages: 4 and up Fee: \$165 Resident, \$175 Non-resident

Lakeside Pool - 5001 W. Alden Bridge Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77382				
June 8 - July 30	6 - 6:30 p.m.	Monday - Thursday		
June 8 - July 30	6:45 - 7:15 p.m.	Monday - Thursday		
Mini Meet - July 30	6 - 8 p.m.	Thursday		
Shadowbend Pool - 4192	Lake Woodlands	Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381		
June 8 - July 30	9 - 9:30 a.m.	Monday - Thursday		
Mini Meet - July 30	8:30 - 10 a.m.	Thursday		
Creekwood Pool - 3383 S	outh Panther Cree	ek Drive, The Woodlands, TX 77381		
June 8 - July 31	6:45 - 7:15 p.m.	Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri		

Friday

#### **CYCLONES SWIM TEAM**

Mini Meet - July 31

Swimmers will work on strokes, turns and starts. Registration opens January 1, 2015.

Ages: 7 and up

Fee: All four days, monthly \$80 Resident, \$90 Non-resident Weekends only, monthly \$45 Resident, \$50 Non-resident All spring season, February - April \$200 Resident, \$210 Non-resident

6:45 - 8 p.m.

Ages 7 - 10	Ages 7 - 10	Creekwood Pool - Tues & Thurs, 7 - 8 p.m. Forestgate Pool - Sat & Sun, 11 a.m noon
Feb 2 - April 26	Ages 11 & up	Forestgate Pool - Mon & Wed, 7 - 8 p.m. Sat & Sun noon - 1 p.m.

#### **PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS** (Adults & Children)

One to one instruction at the pool of your choice! Pick from one of the Township pools listed below, then choose a time between noon and 5 p.m. Sessions are 30 minutes long.

Ages: All Fee: One session - \$30 Resident, \$40 Non-residents Three sessions - \$80 Resident, \$90 Non-residents

Eight sessions - \$160 Residents, \$170 Non-residents

May 26 - June 4: Bear Branch Pool only.

June 5 - August 14: Alden Bridge, Bear Branch, Creekwood, Falconwing, Lakeside, Rob Fleming, Sawmill or Wendtwoods pools.

Be sure to check out the 2015 Summer Action Guide for more information!





## YOUTH TENNIS LESSONS

This specialized stimulating and challenging program is designed for children 5 - 18 years old. A team of trained and motivated instructors provide the perfect environment for children to learn tennis! New sessions begin each month and students are welcome to join at any time, all sessions include four classes. Monthly fee: Hour long - \$55 Resident, \$65 Non-resident 45 minute - \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

Session I: January 5 - January 30

Session II: February 2 - February 27

Session III: March 2 - April 3, Skips Spring Break

Session IV: April 6 - May 1

Session V: May 4 - May 29





ZATS & CHAMPS, 10 - 18 yrs. Designed to boost players up to champs and super champs!

Level	Day	Location	Time	Age	Coach	Program#	Notes
	Tuesday	Tupelo	3 - 4 p.m.	3 - 4	Miguel	5704	
		Rec Center	11 - 11:45 a.m.	3 - 4	Diego	5700	
	Wednesday	Rec Center	Noon - 12:45 p.m.	4 - 5	Diego	5702	Sessions II - V
TINY TENNIS		Tupelo	3 - 4 p.m.	3 - 4	Miguel	5705	
		Rec Center	11 - 11:45 a.m.	3 - 4	Diego	5703	
	Thursday	Rec Center	Noon - 12:45 p.m.	4 - 5	Diego	5701	
		Tupelo	3-4 p.m.	3 - 4	Miguel	5706	
		Shadowbend	3:15 p.m.	6 - 8	Nicole	8202	Session II - V, Afterschool class
		Cranebrook	3:30 - 5 p.m.	5 - 8	Jose	8368	
	Manday	Timarron	4:30 p.m.	5 - 6	Kirsty	8315	
	Monday	Bear Branch	4:15 - 5 p.m.	5 - 6	Ben	8300	45-minute class
		Bear Branch	5 p.m.	6 - 8	Ben	8301	
		Cranebrook	6 p.m.	5 - 8	Jose	8303	
		Lakeside	3:15 p.m.	5 - 8	Vicky	8336	Afterschool class
BEGINNER	Tuesday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	7 - 8	Nicole	8203	
		Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	5 - 6	Nicole	8308	
ROOKIES		Shadowbend	3:15 p.m.	6 - 8	Nicole	8323	Session II - V, Afterschool class
	Wednesday	Bear Branch	4:15 - 5 p.m.	5 - 6	Ben	8302	45-minute class
		Bear Branch	5 p.m.	6 - 8	Ben	8312	
		Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	7 - 8	Nicole	8311	
	Thursday	Lakeside	4:15 p.m.	5 - 8	Vicky	8337	
		Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	5 - 6	Nicole	8314	
	Friday	Cranebrook	3:30 p.m.	5 - 8	Jose	8362	
	Filuay	Bear Branch	4:15 - 5 p.m.	5 - 6	Ben	8114	45-minute class
	Monday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	6 - 8	Nicole	8322	
	ivioriuay	Timarron	5:30 p.m.	7 - 8	Kirsty	8327	
		Lakeside	4:15 p.m.	5 - 8	Vicky	8334	
INTERMEDIATE	Tuesday	Bear Branch	4:15 - 5 p.m.	5 - 6	Ben	8310	45-minute class
		Bear Branch	5 p.m.	6 - 8	Ben	8338	
ROOKIES	Wednesday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	6 - 8	Nicole	8326	
		Lakeside	3:15 p.m.	5 - 8	Vicky	8356	Afterschool class
	Thursday	Bear Branch	4:15 - 5 p.m.	5 - 6	Ben	8321	45-minute class
		Bear Branch	5 p.m.	6 - 8	Ben	8341	
ADV ROOKIES	Monday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	7 - 8	Nicole	8328	Orange balls
WALKARKIE)	Wednesday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	7 - 8	Nicole	8200	Orange balls
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Don't miss the monthly Youth Tournaments from February to May. Call 281-210-3950 or email tennis@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov for dates and registration.

Level	Day	Location	Time	Age	Coach	Program#	Notes
		Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8340	
	Monday	Lakeside	4:30 p.m.	8 - 10	Vicky	8354	
	ivioriday	Bear Branch	6:30 p.m.	9 - 10	Nicole	8351	Orange balls
		Timarron	6:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Kirsty	8350	
BEGINNER	Tuesday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8343	
BEOMMEN	Tuesuay	Bear Branch	6 p.m.	8 - 10	Ben	8313	
<b>GHALLENGERS</b>		Lakeside	4:30 p.m.	11 - 13	Vicky	8359	
	Wednesday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8344	
		Bear Branch	6:30 p.m.	9 - 10	Nicole	8332	Orange balls
	Thursday	Bear Branch	4:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8349	
	Thursday	Bear Branch	6 p.m.	8 - 10	Ben	8204	
	Friday	Lakeside	4:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Fred	8358	Session I-IV only
	Monday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8345	
	ivioriuay	Lakeside	5:30 - 7 p.m.	8 - 10	Vicky	8355	
	Tuesday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8339	
INTERMEDIATE	Wednesday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8342	
		Lakeside	5:30 - 7 p.m.	11 - 13	Vicky	8335	
<b>GHALLENGERS</b>		Bear Branch	6 p.m.	8 - 10	Ben	8369	
	Thursday	Bear Branch	5:30 p.m.	9 - 12	Connie	8346	
		Bear Branch	6 p.m.	8 - 10	Ben	8348	
	Saturday	Bear Branch	4 p.m.	8 - 10	Ben	8201	
	Monday	Bear Branch	7 p.m.	11 - 15	Ben	8365	
BEGINNER AGES	Wednesday	Bear Branch	7 p.m.	11 - 15	Ben	8367	
	Friday	Lakeside	5:30 p.m.	13 - 15	Fred	8371	Session I-IV only
INTERMEDIATE	Tuesday	Bear Branch	7 p.m.	11 - 15	Ben	8363	
	Thursday	Bear Branch	7 p.m.	11 - 15	Ben	8364	
AGES	Saturday	Bear Branch	5 p.m.	11 - 15	Ben	8370	
<b>7 A 4</b>	M, W	Bear Branch	5 - 6:30 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe	0204	
Must be	Friday	Bear Branch	5 - 7 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe	8381	ZATS fee: 1X wk \$75, 2X wk
pre-approved to	T, TH	Bear Branch	5 - 6:30 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe		\$130, 3X wk \$165
register, please call 281-210-3950	Friday	Bear Branch	5 - 7 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe	8383	
for details.	M, W, TH	Bear Branch	6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe		Champs fee: 1X wk \$100, 2X wk
CHAMPS	Friday	Bear Branch	5 - 7 p.m.	10 - 18	Lupe	8387	\$150, 3X wk \$216, 4X wk \$250



## Get in on the best Spring classes in The Woodlands!

The Woodlands Township park system features 74 tennis courts! The larger tennis complexes are at Bear Branch, Shadowbend, Creekwood, Sawmill and Lakeside parks. Bear Branch Tennis Complex is the tennis hub for programming, however, courses are taught at many satellite locations. Residents can enjoy tennis lessons right in their own neighborhood!

Want to reserve a court for public use or see what courts are open? Call 281-210-3950 for assistance and information. All tennis programming is coordinated by The Woodlands Tennis Academy at The Woodlands Recreation Center.

All approved tennis contractors with The Tennis Academy instruct group lessons with The Woodlands Township at various courts within the Township. For an updated list and bios of approved tennis instructors visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/tennis.

## Peatured Spring Tennis Academy Instructors



#### **Coach Kirsty Berthelot**

Youth and Adult Instruction A USPTA Certified Pro, Kirsty taught adults and juniors at the state and national level, lettered at LSU playing both doubles and singles.



#### **Coach Nicole Bonnet**

Youth Instruction

USPTA Certified. Over 20 years playing experience. Served as a Sports Counselor for Kutsher's Sports Academy, coached summer camp tennis programs. Multilingual in French, Portugese, and Spanish.



#### **Coach Ben Melancon**

Youth Instruction (Rookies, Challengers, Aces) Adult Skills and Drills

USPTA Certified. Served as a coach at Pelican Athletic Club, Oakbourne Country Club, Highland Park Tennis Center and the YMCA. Played tennis at the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

#### YOUTH/ADULT PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE TENNIS INSTRUCTION

All Tennis Academy instructors provide private and semi-private instruction. Dates, times and fees are coordinated with the instructor. For a list of approved tennis instructors, visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov, click Departments, Parks and Recreation, Programs and Events then click Tennis.



#### WHEELCHAIR TENNIS AT RIDGEWOOD TENNIS COURTS

Sign up today for this free program! For more information or to register, e-mail tennis@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov. or call 281-210-3950.

Tues / Thurs

4:30 - 6 p.m.

Ridgewood Tennis Courts



#### **INTERESTED IN SPECIAL OLYMPICS TENNIS?**

Email tennis@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov for more information!

## Idult lennis Lessons

Learn to play the life long sport of tennis or improve existing skills! Choose from a selection of lesson packages while playing at The Woodlands tennis courts. Whether just beginning or very experienced, all levels of players excel when working with a Tennis Academy Instructor.

Fee: \$60 Resident monthly, \$70 Non-resident monthly

- Beginner Learn how to play tennis. Emphasis on the basics of how to play the game. Focus is on basic stroke mechanics, rules, scoring and game strategies.
- Intermediate Tennis lessons to improve skills, practice shotmaking, and also to improve doubles and singles play.
- Advanced Players must know rules, score-keeping, basic strokes and have proficiency in all skills - including advanced strokes (the slice, drop shot, spin serves).
- Ladies Doubles Tennis Clinic: Winning Doubles Strategies Four week clinic to learn and practice top strategies, tactics and plays for winning. Ladies learn to take their doubles game to the next level! For intermediate and advanced league players.



	Day	Description	Court	Time	Coach	Program	Notes
	Monday	Beginner Lessons	Bear Branch	9:30 a.m.	Connie	8010	
	Monday	Intermediate Drills	Bear Branch	10 a.m.	Ben	8360	
	Monday	Intermediate Drills	Bear Branch	10:30 a.m.	Connie	8006	
	Monday	Ladies Doubles Tennis Clinic Winning Strategies	Pepperdale Park	11am - Noon	Jon	8033	4-week clinic, March 2 - 23 \$79 Resident, \$89 Non-resident
	Tuesday	Intermediate Lessons	Meadowlake	9 a.m.	Pattie	8306	Sessions II - V
	Tuesday	Intermediate Drills	Bear Branch	9:30 a.m.	Connie	8211	
	Tuesday	Beginner Drills	Bear Branch	10 a.m.	Ben	8032	
	Tuesday	Beginner Lessons	Meadowlake	10 a.m.	Pattie	8030	Sessions II - V
	Tuesday	Ladies Doubles Tennis Clinic Winning Strategies	Pepperdale Park	11 a.m noon	Jon	8033	4-week clinic, February 3 - 24 \$79 Resident, \$89 Non-resident
	Tuesday	Ladies Doubles Tennis Clinic - Winning Strategies	Pepperdale Park	11 a.m noon	Jon	8033	4-week clinic, April 7 - 28 \$79 Resident, \$89 Non-resident
	Wednesday	Advanced Lessons	Meadowlake	9 a.m.	Pattie	8035	Sessions II - V
	Wednesday	Intermediate Lessons	Bear Branch	10 a.m.	Ben	8319	
	Wednesday	Intermediate Lessons	Meadowlake	10 a.m.	Pattie	8031	Sessions II - V
	Wednesday	Beginner Drills	Bear Branch	10:30 a.m.	Connie	8213	
	Wednesday	Ladies Beginner Tennis Lessons	Pepperdale Park	11 a.m 12:15 p.m.	Jon	8234	Sessions 1 - IV \$88 Resident, \$98 Non-resident
	Thursday	Beginner Lessons	Bear Branch	9:30 a.m.	Connie	8009	
	Thursday	Beginner Lessons	Bear Branch	10 a.m.	Ben	8320	
	Thursday	Beginner Lessons	Meadowlake	10:30 a.m.	Pattie	8304	Sessions II - V
	Friday	Adult Beginner Tennis	Timmaron	10 - 11 a.m.	Kirsty	8090	
	Friday	Adult Intermediate Tennis	Timarron	11 a.m noon	Kirsty	8092	
	Saturday	Intermediate Lessons	Bear Branch	10 - 11 a.m.	Ben	8317	
23	Mondays	Beginner Lessons	Bear Branch	6:30 p.m.	Connie	8011	
	Tuesdays	Beginner / Intermediate Drills	Bear Branch	6:30 p.m.	Connie	8007	
3	Wednesday	Intermediate / Advanced Drills	Bear Branch	6:30 p.m.	Connie	8014	
1	Fridays	Adult - Beginners	Lakeside Park	6:30 p.m.	Fred	8316	Session I - IV only

### **IDSTOWNSHIP-TX.GOV/RIVAROWBOATHOUSE IDSTOWNSHIP-TX.GOV/RIVAROWBOATHOUSE**



2101 Riva Row The Woodlands Texas, 77380

#### **RIVA ROW BOAT HOUSE**

Team building events and birthday parties get special group rates! Call 281-210-3965 or email boathouse@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov for more details or reservations.

#### **Daily Rates:**

Tandem: \$20 for first hour, \$5 add'l hour. Single: \$15 for first hour, \$5 add'l hour.

No cap on hourly rentals.

#### **HOURS:**

January 1 - May 17, 2015: 9 a.m. to sunset, closed Tuesday and Wednesday May 18 - August 23, 2015 9 a.m. to 8 p.m., closed Wednesday Riva Row Boat House programs require at least 2 participants in order to make, participants must register at least one week prior to start, unless stated otherwise. Rates include paddles and life jackets. Liability waiver required for kayak rentals, must be 18 years or older to sign waivers. Children under 10 years old must be accompanied by an adult 18 years or older. Adult supervision required.

#### **GROUP OUTINGS AND TEAM BUILDING EVENTS**

Group events can be scheduled on any day the Boat House is already open. Try a birthday party, family reunion, special group or company team-building event with kayaks! Activities include scavenger hunts, guided tours, communication drills and much more. Group events receive discounted rates! Call 281-210-3965 for more details and reservations.

#### PRIVATE KAYAKING LESSONS

Not comfortable in a class setting, or just want some one-on-one instruction? Call for a dynamic and in-depth one-hour lesson with a certified instructor and start paddling. Please call the Riva Row Boat House for an appointment.

Ages: All, ages 10 and younger must be accompanied by an adult.

Fee: One lesson: \$50 person or \$60 for two people Three lessons: \$100 person or \$135 for two people

#### **PICNIC PACK**

Grab a friend or a loved one for a picnic lunch and a cruise in a kayak! Includes picnic lunch and 2 hour tandem kayak rental. Please visit www. thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/rivarowboathouse to review menu options, must provide at least 24 hours notice (on Thursdays, must provide 48 hours notice).

Fee: \$60



#### NDSTOWNSHIP-TX.GOV/RIVAROWBOAT INTRODUCTION TO STAND-UP PADDLE **BOARDING (SUP)**

Learn to stand-up paddle and get into competition shape! Learn professional techniques to take paddling

to the next level. Must register no later than 72 hours before class starts.

Fee: \$30 Resident, \$35 Non-resident Ages: 18 and up

March 7			
March 21			
April 11			
April 25	10 - 11:15 a.m.	Saturday	Riva Row Boat House
May 9	10 - 11.15 a.III.	Saturday	Niva NOW BOAL House
May 23			
June 6			
June 20			

#### **SUP GROUP OUTING / PRIVATE LESSONS**

Bring a group of friends, celebrate a birthday, or host a corporate outing all on Stand-Up Paddle boards! Learn

to paddle board from the pros. Call 281-210-3965 for more details.

Ages 18 and up Outing fee: \$30 Person, minimum five people per group

Lesson fee: \$35 Person

#### LAKE WOODLANDS SUNDAY EXCURSION

Enjoy a guided one and a half hour tour of beautiful Lake Woodlands! Must register in advance of the class.

Fee: \$40 First person, \$15 second person. Ages: All

March 1, 15			
April 12, 26	10 - 11:30 a.m.	Sunday	Riva Row Boat House
May 3, 17			

#### **KAYAKING 101**

Learn the basics of this great sport! Instructors provide students all they need to know to start kayaking. Includes the opportunity to kayak on beautiful Lake Woodlands.

Ages: 12 and up Fee: \$40 Person.

March 12			
April 9	5 - 6 p.m.	Thursday	Riva Row Boat House
May 7			

#### LAKE WOODLANDS CLEANUP

Help keep Lake Woodlands trash-free! Pick a date below, register then go kayaking. A full bag of trash earns a free kayak rental! Please call 281-210-3965 to register. Participants must remain in their kayaks for the duration of the cleanup.

Fee: Regular rental rates apply.

-	March 15			
	April 12	Any time	Sunday	Riva Row Boat House
	May 10			

Don't miss the egg-citing Kayak Easter Egg Hunt at Riva Row Boat House, details in Special Events, page 1.

#### **ADULT 7V7 SOCCER LEAGUE**

20-person team roster, eight-match regular season and playoffs, league and playoff champion prizes awarded. Sunday afternoons/evenings, schedules depend on registration. There are three different divisions: North, South and Recreational. North and South Divisions are competitive. Fee due in full at registration. Playing at Bear Branch Sports Fields.

Fee includes game and official's fees.

Ages: 18 and up Fee: \$550 per team

#### ADULT DROP-IN SOCCER

11v11 Pick-up matches held weekly on Wednesday nights at 8 p.m.

Ages: 18 and up

	Quarterly	\$20 Resident, \$25 Non-resident
Bear Branch Sportfields	Daily	\$3
	Yearly	\$70 Resident, \$80 Non-resident

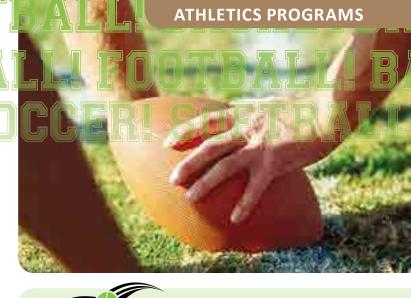
#### ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUE

20-person team roster and play eight regular season games and playoffs, league prizes awarded.

Please note: league fee due in full before the first game.

Ages: 18 and up Fee: \$450 per team, \$50 deposit

CoEd Team - Requires minimum of four women	Wednesday Evenings	Alden Bridge Sports Park
on team		
Mens Team	Thursday Evenings	Alden Bridge Sports Park





#### 2014 Men's Doubles

Tuesday evenings at 7:30 p.m.

Spring I: January 6- March 10 Spring II: March 24 - May 26

Fall: August 25 - October 27 Winter Mini: Nov. 10 - Dec. 15\*

Summer: June 9 - August 11

#### 2014 Women's Doubles

Wednesday at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Spring I: January 7 - March 11 Spring II: March 25 - May 27

Fall: August 26 - October 28 Winter Mini: November 11 - 15\*

Summer: June 10 - August 12

\*No league play during the week of Thanksgiving.

#### SIGN UP A TEAM! CALL 281-210-3950 FOR THE NEXT LEAGUE START DATE



#### **VISIT THE FITNESS ROOM AT** THE RECREATION CENTER!

It is complete with cardiovascular machines, free weights and resistance machines!

Resident daily rate \$6

\$60 Resident six-month membership

\$120 Resident one-year membership

\$80 Resident senior adults (55 and up) one-year membership

Non-Resident memberships are also available!



#### **1,2,3...GO RUN FOR FUN**

Multi-phase training program for new runners or those coming off an injury. Follows program developed by RRCA-certified running coaches Jill Mitchell and Vicky Gillmor.

**Phase I:** Builds a running base to increase strength and endurance that increases in intensity and distance. Includes weekly group runs. Fee includes running schedules, handouts, a stretching workshop, participation in a local 5K race, technical running shirt and a discount at a local running store.

Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$110 Resident, \$120 Non-resident

January 10 - Orientation*	9:30 a.m.	Saturday	
January 13 - March 31	9:30 a.m.	Tuesday	Rec Center
January 15 - April 2	7 p.m.	Thursday	

**Phase II:** Runners increase distance from five to 10 miles. Must participate in Phase 1 or be able to run five miles. Workouts increase to include track and hill workouts and a long run on weekends. Fee includes running schedules, handouts, a stretching workshop, discount at a local running store. Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$120 Resident, \$135 Non-resident.

January 10 - Orientation *	10:15 a.m.	Caturday	Dan Comton
January 17 - April 4	6:30 a.m.	Saturday	Rec Center

<sup>\*</sup>Orientation attendance is recommended and is not mandatory.

#### YOGA WITH A TWIST!

Outdoor yoga in beautiful Woodlands parks with instructors from Keene on Fitness. Lyengar style yoga with asanas (poses) for body endurance. Uses repetition for muscle strength while supporting balance development. Modeling and verbal articulation moves participants through asanas Ages: All Monthly fee: \$45 Resident, \$50 Non-resident

Begins January 5 1:45 – 2:45 p.m. Monday - Friday Lakeside Park

#### **DANCERCISE**

Yvonne Savala brings dynamic energy and a love of dance and music to this upbeat, fun class! Includes introduction to basic dancing to all kinds of music, no partner needed.

Ages: 18 and up Monthly fee: \$60 Resident, \$70 Non-resident

January 8 - February 5	6 7	Tl	Day Camban
March 5 - April 9	6 - 7 p.m.	Thursday	Kec Center

#### **NEW! BEACH VOLLEY**

Looking for a good beach volley workout? Practice consists of 15-minute warm-up followed by one hour of play. Join anytime, shoes not needed.

Ages: 18 and up Monthly fee: \$10 Resident, \$15 Non-resident

February - April	9 - 10:30 a.m.	Monday	Northshore Park
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#### TAI CHI MARTIAL ARTS (TCMA)

Sifu David Neighbors studied tai chi for over 20 years and martial arts for over 30 years. He is a member of the American Tai Chi Qigong Association, the Tai Chi for Health Community and a certified Tai Chi for Diabetes instructor, www.thewoodlandstaichi.com

#### TAI CHI I

With tens of millions of participants, Tai Chi is the largest sport in the world. Anyone can do Tai Chi regardless of age or physical condition; no special equipment required. Introduces all aspects of Tai Chi including forms, philosophy and self-defense.

Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$70 Resident once weekly, \$80 Non-resident \$120 Resident twice weekly, \$130 Non-resident

Mondays	7 - 8 p.m.	Rec Center
Saturdays	9 - 10 a.m.	Rec Center

#### TAI CHI II

Traditional intermediate and advanced tai chi floor exercises. Students must be a current student in either Tai Chi I or Kung Fu.

Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$35 Resident once weekly, \$40 Non-resident \$60 Resident twice weekly, \$70 Non-resident

Mondays	8 - 8:30 p.m.	Rec Center
Saturdays	10 - 10:30 a.m.	Rec Center

#### **NORTHERN FIST MARTIAL ARTS**

Kung Fu has been used for centuries as a means of promoting strong minds and general health. Students will be instructed in traditional Chinese forms, applications and two-man sets. Monthly topics include: strikes, kicks, take downs and joint locks.

Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$80 Resident, \$90 Non-resident

Saturdays	10:45 - 12:15 a.m.	Rec Center	





#### **RAD - RAPE AGGRESSION DEFENSE**

Learn how to be safe, stay safe and to protect yourself. Students must register for this free class. Taught by the Montgomery County Sheriff's Office. Under age 18 requires parent's approval or supervision.

Ages: 18 and up Fee: Free!

January 6 - 7 & 13 - 14	7 - 10 p.m.	Montgomery County
February 11 - 12 & 18 - 19	6:30 - 9:30 p.m.	, , ,
March 14 & 21	10 a	
April 14 - 15 & 21 - 22	7 - 10 p.m.	The Woodlands, TX 77380

#### **COUNTRY WESTERN DANCING**

Learn to glide across the floor to the popular Texas two-step! No more sitting through your favorite song. Instructor: Brenda Seneca. Please note, no class on February 3; April 21 class to be held at Rec Center. Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

Beginner	Jan 20 - March 3	5.00 7.00	т	8203 Millennium
Intermediate	March 24 - April 28	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	lues	Forest Dr., Bldg 2

#### **BALLROOM DANCING**

Participants are introduced to widely used dances in both smooth and Latin styles, including foxtrot, waltz, cha-cha and rhumba. Students will also learn leading and following. Instructor: Brenda Seneca.

Please note, no class on February 3; April 21 class to be held at Rec Center. Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

Beginner	Jan 20 - March 3	7.20 0.20		8203 Millennium
Intermediate	March 24 - April 28	7:30 - 8:30 p.m.	Tues	Forest Dr., Bldg 2

#### **SWING/JITTERBUG**

Engjoy this fun introduction to the basic step and patterns of East Coast Swing; learn leading and following skills as well. Instructor: Brenda Seneca. Please note, no class on February 3; April 21 class to be held at Rec Center. Ages: 16 and up Fee: \$50 Resident, \$60 Non-resident

Beginner	Jan 20 - March 3	8:30 - 9:30 p.m.		8203 Millennium
Intermediate	March 24 - April 28	6.50 - 9.50 p.m.	Tues	Forest Dr., Bldg 2

#### **BICYCLE TRAFFIC SKILLS 101**

Fast-paced class gives riders the confidence to ride safely and legally in traffic or on the trail. Learn how to conduct bicycle safety checks, fix a flat and crash avoidance techniques. Recommended for adults and children above the age of 14.

Ages: 14 and up Fees: \$45 Resident

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#### **BICYCLING SKILLS 123**

Designed for adults who are not ready for the Traffic Skills 101 class. Students practice handling drills to improve confidence while riding the bicycle.

Ages: 5 and Up Fees: \$15 Resident

May 9	9 a.m noon	Saturday	Rob Fleming Aquatic Center
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#### "VAMOS A HABLAR" - LET'S TALK

Classes concentrate on conversational Spanish in an audio visual format. Instructor is Margarita Chavez, author of I Say Hola, You Say Hello. Please register by February 1, 2015 to participate in the Spring Spanish program. Please visit www.vamoshablar.org for details. Ages: 18 and up Monthly Fee: \$45 Resident, \$50 Non-resident

6 - 7:30 p.m.	m. Monday	
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Wednesday	
5:30 - 6:30 p.m.	Monday	
6 - 7:30 p.m.	Tuesday	Rec Center
7:30 - 9 p.m.	Monday	
4:30 - 6 p.m.	Friday	
7:30 - 9 p.m.	Tues & Thurs	
	6:30 - 7:30 p.m. 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. 6 - 7:30 p.m. 7:30 - 9 p.m. 4:30 - 6 p.m.	6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Monday 6 - 7:30 p.m. Tuesday 7:30 - 9 p.m. Monday 4:30 - 6 p.m. Friday

#### SPANISH CLUB

This club is for those who are fluent in the Spanish language. Discussion topics include current events, Spanish soap opera critiques and other interesting subjects. Instructor: Margarita Chavez.

Monthly Fee: \$25 Resident, \$30 Non-resident Ages: 18 and up

Wednesday 7:30 - 9 p.m. Rec Center



#### **ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS**

#### **COMPOST CLASSES**

Learn from Montgomery County Master Gardeners the easy, cost-effective way to enrich your yard and garden with compost made in your own backyard. Compost is the easiest way to improve soil's ability to hold moisture and manage yard trimmings at the same time. Fee: Free!

January 3			
February 7	10 - 11 a.m.	Saturday	8203 Millennium Forest
March 7			

#### **GARDENING 101 - WATER WISE IN YOUR LANDSCAPE**

Join Michael Potter, Horticultural Extension Agent and turf specialist from Texas Agri-Life Extension and Debbie Banfield, *Landscape for Life* facilitator, as they reveal the secret to lush turf grass and garden beds. Learn how to have a beautiful yard and conserve water too! Reservation required.

Saturday, February 7	9 a.m noon	2801 Technology Forest Blvd.
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#### **LEARN TO GROW YOUR OWN VEGETABLES**

Learn vegetable gardening from the ground up with Tom LeRoy. Discover the best vegetables and varieties for spring and summer gardens in our region. Reservation required, to register, call 281-210-3800. Fee: Free!

Saturday, February 14	9 a.m noon	Township Town Hall,
		2801 Technology Forest Drive

#### WALK IN THE WOODS NATURE LECTURE SERIES

Explore nature at your back door! Experts reveal the extraordinary plants and wildlife of East Texas. A different program each month from February through April at McCullough Jr. High School, 3800 S. Panther Creek Drive. Fee: Free!

7 p.m.	Thursday	February 12	Local Snakes 101, Mike Howlett	
7:30 p.m.	Thursday	March 12	Hummingbirds!, Cliff Shackleford	
		April 9	TBD	



#### **5TH ANNUAL GREENUP CLEANUP**

Connect with neighbors and the outdoors by leading or joining a cleanup crew and bagging trash from streets, pathways and streams. Gather friends and clean-up together, bags are provided! For registration or details, please call 281-210-3800 or visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/greenup.

#### Saturday, March 28, 2015

#### **EARTH DAY CONCERT IN THE PARK**

Join *Vocal Trash* with their upbeat engaging music with environmental and multicultural themes. Lyrics are directed toward kids but music is equally appealing to adults. See page 2 for information about Concert in the Park. Fee: Free!

#### Sunday, April 19, 2015

Northshore Park, 2505 Lake Woodlands Dr., The Woodlands, TX 77381

#### WATERFEST

Celebrate every drop at Waterfest, a fun, family event with booths, hands-on activities and live performances. Fee: Free!

#### 3 - 6 p.m. on Saturday, May 9, 2015

Northshore Park, 2505 Lake Woodlands Dr., The Woodlands, TX 77381

For more information about gardening and recycling programs and events, please visit www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/environment or call 281-210-3800.

## **JOIN OUR TEAM!**

The Woodlands Township Aquatics Department is hiring swim instructors, lifeguards, swim coaches and pool pass rec aides!



#### **Apply online:**

#### **WWW.THEWOODLANDSTOWNSHIP-TX.GOV**

All team members must be at least 16 years of age, unless otherwise stated, and successfully pass a pre-employment drug screen. Leadership team members must successfully complete an extensive background check.





**TOWNSHIP PROGRAM / EVENT WAIVER AND RELEASE**: In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in any program, activity or event, (referred to herein as the "Program") sponsored by, performed by, or in any way involving The Woodlands Township, I, as Participant, or if Participant is a minor, as parent or guardian of the minor Participant (herein referred to as "I") and intending to be legally bound do hereby acknowledge and agree to the following:

- I hereby waive, discharge, and release any and all rights and claims for damages whether based upon negligence or any other theory of law, which I, or my child, heirs, agents, representatives, or assigns may have against The Woodlands Township, and its affiliates, agents, representatives, assigns, or successors including, without limitation: any officers, directors, shareholders, agents and/or employees of or associated with The Woodlands Township, the municipalities or counties in or through which the programs or events take place or are conducted, as well as any other person, entity or sponsor connected with the Program and any of their affiliates, agents, representatives, assigns, successors, officers, directors, shareholders, and employees, for any and all injuries or damages which I, or my child, may suffer while taking part in the Program.
- I hereby assume any and all of the foregoing risks resulting from my, or my child's, participation in the Program and accept all personal responsibility for any resulting damage including, but not limited to, injury, permanent disability or death.
- I hereby verify that I, or my child, am/is in good physical health and able to participate in and/or complete the Program.
- I hereby agree to indemnify and hold The Woodlands Township harmless from and against all liabilities for any injury which may be suffered by the Participant arising out of or in any way connected with his/her participating in the Program.
- I have read and fully understood this Waiver and Release. I further understand that by participating in the Program, I/we will have waived substantial rights.
- I have knowingly and voluntarily agreed to this Waiver and Release.

FOR PARENTS OF PARTICIPANTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18: I affirm and acknowledge that I, as parent/guardian with legal responsibility for the Participant, do consent and agree to his/her release as provided by the Waiver and Release herein.

**MEDIA/PHOTO WAIVER**: I hereby authorize and give my full consent to The Woodlands Township and their agents and assigns to take, copyright and/or publish any and all photographs, videotapes and/or film (the "Media") in which I, or my child, may appear while participating in the Program. I further authorize that The Woodlands Township to transfer, use or cause to be used, the Media in any exhibitions, public displays, publications, commercials, art and advertising purposes, without limitations or reservations.

NOTE: Wording above is for the waiver that all participants sign when enrolling for programs at The Woodlands Township Recreation Center.



## Save these da

For more information about these and other events, please call 281-210-3950 or email

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March

recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov. Some events require pre-registration, please call 281-210-3950 to register.				
6, 20	Gorilla Hole	Rec Center	7 - 9:45 p.m.	
7	Daddy Daughter Dinner Dance	The Woodlands Waterway Marriott	5:30 - 9:30 p.m.	
13	Kids Night Out	Rec Center	6 - 10 p.m.	
21	Touch A Truck	Rob Fleming Aquatic Center Parking Lot	9 a.m noon	
1, 8, 15, 22, 29	Concert in the Park	Northshore Park	5:30 - 7:30 p.m.	
13	Kids Night Out	Rec Center	6 - 10 p.m.	
14	Arts in the Park with Teen Talent Show	Rob Fleming Park	2 - 6 p.m.	
16 - 20	Spring Break Sunny Dayz Drop-In Camp	Rec Center	7:30 - 5:30	
20	Gorilla Hole	Rec Center	7 - 9:45 p.m.	
21	Kayak Easter Egg Hunt	Riva Row Boat House	9 a.m.	
27	The Bunny Bash	Rob Fleming Park	7 p.m.	
28	Creekwood Fishing Derby	Creekwood Park Pond	8 - 10 a.m.	
28, 29	Breakfast with the Bunny	Rob Fleming Park	9 a.m.	
28, 29	Lunch with the Bunny	Rob Fleming Park	1 p.m.	
28, 29	Dinner with the Ducks	Rob Fleming Park	5 p.m.	
1	Registration for Summer Programs opens			
4	TWFG Muddy Trails Bash	Rob Fleming Park	3 - 8 p.m.	
10	Kids Night Out	Rec Center	6 - 10 p.m.	
11	Camp Terramont	Terramont Park	Noon	
12, 19, 26	Concert in the Park	Northshore Park	5:30 - 7:30 p.m.	
17	Gorilla Hole	Rec Center	7 - 9:45 p.m.	
25	Open Water Swim Day	Northshore Park	7:30 - 12:30 p.m.	
25	World Tai Chi Day	Alden Bridge Park	10 - 11:30 a.m.	
2	CB&I TRI - The Woodlands	Northshore Park	7 - 11:30 a.m.	
8	Kids Night Out	Rec Center	6 - 10 p.m.	
1, 15	Gorilla Hole	Rec Center	7 - 9:45 p.m.	
9	Pre-season pools open for weekend use			
18	Bear Branch Pool opens for pre-season weekday use (closed on Wednesdays)			
25	All pools open for Memorial Day			





The Woodlands Township is a runner and bicycle friendly community!

The Woodlands Township Parks and Recreation Department 5310 Research Forest Drive • 281-210-3950 E-mail: recreation@thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov www.thewoodlandstownship-tx.gov/parksandrecreation